# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
# LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1136
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CUSTOM DUTIES ON IMPORT OF WINE AND SPIRITS
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**Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the U.S. has complained to the dispute settlement body of W.T.O. regarding levying of customs duty on wine and spirits in India;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the reaction of the Government thereon?

## Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI JAIRAM RAMESH)

(a) Yes,Sir.

(b)The details are available at the website www.wto.org.

(c) The Government is preparing to make a written submission to the dispute settlement panel in justification of the measures complained against by the US.